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NEW CITY HEALTH CHIEF AND MAYOR HOLD CONFERENCE

No Definite Arrangement of Work Yet Made and Matters Are Simply "Talked Over" Say Confereers.

No definite arrangement of public health work was arrived at Wednesday by Mayor Paine and Dr. J. J. Durrett, recently appointed head of the city health department, who arrived in Memphis late Tuesday. The two held a conference for some hours Wednesday, but nothing definite was concluded at that time. In conclusion, it was said that the selection of a city sanitary engineer would not be considered for some days yet. The conference was "just to talk matters over" as both expressed it. Dr. Durrett arrived in Memphis on Tuesday night from Charlottesville, Va.

Tuesday night from Charlottesville, Va., after an arduous trip in a Ford, which was delayed by several mishaps to his machine. A breakdown at Tuscaloosa, Ala., greatly delayed Dr. Durrett.

Discussion of the recently reported Federal survey made by Dr. Paul S. Noble, was gone into by Mayor Paine and Dr. Durrett. It is the hopes of the mayor and Dr. Durrett to thoroughly cleanse the city of malaria, common fever germs and other malarial pestilence, that now are more or less prevalent.

Some special announcements regarding

ing positions in the city health departments are expected within a few days. Dr. J. L. Andrews, superintendent of the city board of health, will continue in office until Dr. Durrett becomes well acquainted with the position. It was announced Wednesday. There will be no change in the present policy in the health department, according to Dr. Durrett, until he has time to consider the method in vogue and if necessary substitute his own ideas.

ARREST NEGRO WITH RECORD HAIR CROP

Jones Claims Hair Never Has
Been Cut.

Donnie Jones, 19-year-old negro boy, who holds the record among his race for having the longest hair, was arrested by Patrolmen Smith and Sheriff Hill late Tuesday at the Lincoln hotel and entered on the docket charged with vagrancy.

Jones, who claims he held the position of dishwasher at the hotel, had been conspicuous for several weeks loitering around the hotel, according to arresting officers, seemingly taking delight in parading up and down the street in downtown's most exclusive

When taken to the police station, Johnnie stated that he had never had a hair cut in his life and had absolutely no desire to have one. He was funding an offer of \$1,000 to anyone who could get him a haircut. He was made by Sgt. Cole, who desired to see the hair of the black man of flowing locks as a natural curiosity. Sgt. Cole stated that he had never seen a black man with such long hair.

It is generally believed by the headquarters detachment that Judge Barker will order the hair clipped when the negro is arraigned for trial Wednesday, although statements from the negro indicate that a strong fight will be made to allow its owner to retain possession of it.

"PARTY GOVERNMENT" TO BE G. O. P. PLEA

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Opposition to "Personal" Rule Decided on by Nominees.

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WASHINGTON, June 30.—The Republican presidential campaign will be

ased "on an appeal to restore party government as a constitutional substitute for personal government." Senator Harding, the party presidential candidate, announced today after a conference with Calvin Coolidge, his running mate, and National Chairman William H. Hays.

At the same time Gov. Coolidge in a formal statement declared there must be "a return of public opinion toward a self-control by the people, toward a great and overmastering desire to ob-

Senator Harding said: "The governor and I have each served as lieutenant-governor in our states, and we both have learned from experience how possible it is for a second official in a state to be a helpful part in a party administration. I think the vice-president should be more than a mere substitute in waiting. In establishing co-ordination between the executive office and the senate, the vice-president can and ought to play a large part."

N. D. Nonpartisans Seek G. O. P. Control

The outstanding contests were for the Republican nominations for U. S. senator and governor. For senator, A. J. Gronna, incumbent, backed Ladd, president of the North Dakota Agricultural college, supported by the Non-partisan league, and Col. Frank White, former governor, supported by a "service men's" committee. For governor, William Langer, attorney, supported by the regular Republicans, opposed Lynn Frazier, incumbent, backed by the

SENT TO WORKS.
Fred Shepherd, indicted on a larceny charge, was found guilty of petit larceny by a jury in First criminal court Wednesday. He drew a sentence of 30 days in the workhouse.

Twenty-four hours to noon, June 30:			
—temperature—			
Hour.	Dry bulb.	Wet bulb.	Humid'v.
5 p.m. yest'day	82	71	59
10 a.m. today	76	67	64
Noon today	87	78	60
Maximum	87		
Minimum	75		
Sun sets today 7:18 p.m. Rises tomorrow 4:45 a.m. Moon rises 7:26 tonight.			
Precipitation, none.			

Mississippi—Fair.
Arkansas—Fair.
Alabama—Fair.
Kentucky—Cloudy; thundershowers
probable.
Louisiana—Fair.
Oklahoma, East and West Texas—
Fair.
North and South Carolina—Cloudy;
thundershowers probable.

Georgia and Florida—Fair.